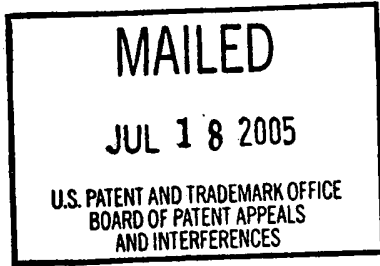


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This application was received at the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences on June 22, 2005. A review of the application has revealed that the application is not ready for docketing as an appeal. Accordingly, the application is herewith being returned to the examiner. The matters requiring attention prior to docketing are identified below:


1.) On December 10, 2004, an Examiner's Answer was mailed. In reference to Office Actions by the United States Patent and Trademark Office (USPTO) the Manual of Patent Examining Procedure (MPEP) § 707.08 (8th ed., Rev. 2, May 2004) states in part:

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- (d) the examiner to have the matter of payment of the Appeal Brief filing fee corrected as required, and
- (e) for such further action as may be appropriate.

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